

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant : TSIORIS, Theofani

Group Art Unit: 3637

Appl. No. : 10/541,899

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For : Application of heat to a screen or mesh
covering a gutter, specifically to melt
snow or ice

Examiner : DEVOTI, Paul D

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
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Sir:

Please amend the above application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 5 of this paper.